Brig. Gen. Thomas J. Kennett

Brig. Gen. Eric W. Mann

Brig. Gen. Edward A. Sauley, III

Brig. Gen. Dean A. Tremps

The following named Air National Guard of the United States officers for appointment in the Reserve of the Air Force to the grade indicated under title 10, U.S.C., sections 12203 and 12212.

#### To be major general

Brig. Gen. George M. Degnon

Brig. Gen. Tamhra L. Hutchins-Frye

Brig. Gen. Sherrie L. McCandless

Brig. Gen. Steven Nordhaus

Brig. Gen. Kirk S. Pierce

Brig. Gen. Frank H. Stokes

Brig. Gen. Bradley A. Swanson Brig. Gen. Thomas K. Wark

The following named Air National Guard of the United States officers for appointment in the Reserve of the Air Force to the grade indicated under title 10, U.S.C., sections 12203 and 12212:

#### To be major general

Brig. Gen. Douglas A. Farnham Brig. Gen. Clay L. Garrison

Nominations Placed on the Secretary's Desk

### IN THE AIR FORCE

PN951 AIR FORCE nominations (14) beginning DANE V. CAMPBELL, and ending RICHARD L. WOODRUFF, JR., which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 5, 2017.

PN1234 AIR FORCE nominations (69) beginning JOSEPH BENJAMIN AHLERS, and ending TRENTON M. WHITE, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of November 14, 2017.

PN1236 AIR FORCE nomination of Erika R. Woodson, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of November 14, 2017.

PN1237 AIR FORCE nomination of Michael S. Stroud, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of November 14, 2017

PN1238 AIR FORCE nominations (17) beginning LANCE A. AIUMOPAS, and ending TARA L. VILLENA, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of November 14, 2017.

PN1239 AIR FORCE nomination of Robert Sarlay, Jr., which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of November 14, 2017.

PN1253 AIR FORCE nominations (88) beginning RICHARD G. ADAMS, and ending JOSEPH F. ZINGARO, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of November 16, 2017.

## IN THE ARMY

PN956 ARMY nomination of Ashley R. Sellers, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 5, 2017.

PN958 ARMY nomination of Elias M. Chelala, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 5, 2017.

PN1144 ARMY nomination of Cathleen A. Labate, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of October 16, 2017.

PN1147 ARMY nominations (2) beginning REBECCA J, COOPER, and ending MATTHEW L. DANIELS, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of October 16, 2017.

PN1240 ARMY nomination of Brantley J. Combs, which was received by the Senate

and appeared in the Congressional Record of November 14, 2017.

PN1241 ARMY nominations (2) beginning MARK E. QUERY, and ending SAMUEL H. TAHK, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of November 14, 2017.

PN1242 ARMY nomination of Victor A. Pachecofowler, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of November 14, 2017.

PN1243 ARMY nomination of James M. Brumit, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of November 14, 2017.

PN1254 ARMY nomination of Melvin J. Nickell, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of November 16, 2017.

PN1255 ARMY nomination of Erica L. Herzog, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of November 16, 2017.

PN1256 ARMY nomination of Adam W. Vanek, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of November 16, 2017.

PN1257 ARMY nomination of Jason Park, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of November 16, 2017.

PN1258 ARMY nomination of John T. Huckabay, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of November 16, 2017.

### LEGISLATIVE SESSION

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The Senate will now resume legislative session.

## MORNING BUSINESS

Mr. ENZI. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Senate be in a period of morning business, with Senators permitted to speak therein for up to 10 minutes each.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

### TRIBUTE TO DEE BRADEN

Mr. DURBIN. Mr. President, today I wish to congratulate Ms. Dee Braden on her retirement from the Coles County Council on Aging, CCCoA, after more than 41 years of service.

One of Illinois' finest advocates for older residents, Dee started with CCCoA in 1976, as the RSVP volunteer recruiter and was quickly promoted to be its first executive director in 1978.

Under Dee's leadership, CCCoA flourished and received the 2008 Governor's Award for Unique Achievement for its vision, innovation, and collaborative public and private partnerships in Illinois.

To understand Dee's tireless commitment to Illinois' older population, one need only look at her long service record. Dee developed and orchestrated the first successful passage of a county-wide property tax referendum in Illinois to fund senior services and advocated for decades to enhance the quality of life of older adults in Coles Coun-

ty. For 10 years, she also fundraised for the LifeSpan Center, a 25,000-squarefoot multipurpose intergenerational facility in Mattoon, IL. Dee devoted herself to bettering the quality of life for our older Illinoisans.

Dee's many years of leadership and contributions to the elderly made her the deserving recipient of several awards, including the Coles County Zonta Woman of the Year Award for Community Service, the Epsilon Sigma Alpha Diana Award for her service, and the Illinois Governor's Award for Unique Achievement after she developed a countywide Elder Abuse Task Force. This year, the East Central Illinois Area Agency on Aging awarded Dee the Dr. Arthur H. Larsen Leadership Award for her outstanding leadership in advancing programs, services, and opportunities for older persons in east central Illinois.

These are just a few of Dee's many accomplishment. A full rendering of her achievements would take much longer than these few moments. I will end by saying that I visited the CCCoA several times, and I can tell you first-hand that the work Dee has done in the community is nothing short of remarkable.

Dee's generous heart is as big as Illinois. I don't know a better volunteer who has given so much to helping people. I wish Dee a happy, relaxing retirement and the best of luck in her life's next chapter. She has certainly earned it.

# BUDGETARY REVISIONS

Mr. ENZI. Mr. President, section 3003 of H. Con. Res. 71, the concurrent resolution on the budget for fiscal year 2018, allows the chairman of the Senate Budget Committee to revise the allocations, aggregates, and levels in the budget resolution for legislation considered under the resolution's reconciliation instructions.

I find that S. Amdt. 1855 fulfills the conditions found in section 3003 of H. Con. Res. 71. Accordingly, I am revising the allocations to the Committee on Finance, the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, and other enforceable budgetary levels to account for the budgetary effects of the amendment.

This adjustment supersedes the adjustment I previously made for the processing of S. Amdt. 1618 on November 29, 2017. This adjustment applies while this amendment is under consideration. Should the amendment be withdrawn or fail, this adjustment will be null and void and the adjustment for S. Amdt. 1618 shall remain active.

I ask unanimous consent that the accompanying tables, which provide details about the adjustment, be printed in the RECORD.

There being no objection, the material was ordered to be printed in the RECORD, as follows: